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Securities and Exchange Commission 450 Fifth Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20549 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Re: U.S. Industries, Inc. - Amended Statements

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed herewith are Statements Under Oath executed by David H. Clarke, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of U.S. Industries, Inc. and Allan D. Weingarten, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of U.S. Industries, Inc. pursuant to Order No. 4-460 of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The enclosed Statements are being submitted in replacement of the Statements transmitted to you earlier today. They have been amended to correct a typographical error in paragraph (3) thereof. The reference in each certificate to "September 29, 2002" has been changed to "September 29, 2001".

Very truly yours,

Allan D. Weingarten

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## U.S. INDUSTRIES, INC.

## Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

- I, David H. Clarke, principal executive officer, state and attest that :
  - (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of U.S. Industries, Inc. (the "Company"), and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:
    - no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
    - no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in
      the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not
      misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a
      report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was
      filed).
  - (2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit committee.
  - (3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, constitutes a "covered report":
    - the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 29, 2001:
    - all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials
      of the Company filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K
      identified above; and
    - any amendments to any of the foregoing.

David H. Clarke

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

August 13, 2002

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2002.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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